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PATENT

Case 876P020

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

James H. Keithly

Harold Pollack

Thomas Taggart

EARLY SEASON NOT FROM
CONCENTRATE ORANGE JUICE

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AMENDMENT AND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed
January 31, 2000. Please amend the application in the following
manner:

Throughout the Application:

In the Claims:

Please amend each of claims 1, 9, 13, 14, 20, 21, 23,
25, 26, 28, 29, 31, 34-36, 45-49, 52, 55 and 56, rewriting them
as follows:

- 1. (Amended) A method of preparing early season not from
concentrate orange juice, comprising the steps of:

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